

BSA Troop 918 Committee Meeting Minutes – 27 January 2020

ATTENDEES

- Mike B
- Len M
- Paul S
- Dang N
- Brett M
- Aaron K
- Chuck T
- Rick W
- Suresh J
- Mark L
- Dave N
- Travis D

SECRETARY – Brien C

- Minutes posted for last two meetings

CHARTERED ORGANIZATION REP—Chuck T

- Insurance coverage
 - OSLC has coverage for shed
 - First step, get title for trailer transferred over to OSLC. This requires Mike to track down Darren Roe to get all trailer title paperwork.
 - That will put trailer under ACV (Actual Cash Value) policy
 - We want RCV for trailer (Replacement Cash Value) after we get coverage
- Provided contact info to Mike on how to get info into OSLC newsletter
- Church council will have Eagle scout project ideas by end of Feb
- Dates for Scout Sunday or other ways to increase Troop visibility at the Church. Could potentially use Scouts as ushers for services on any Sunday.

TREASURER/FUNDRAISING — Suresh J

- Handful of people behind on scout account
 - Suresh sent email to them today
 - Expect quick resolution of that
- \$5900 balance in bank account

ADVANCEMENT – Dave N

- Successful BoR for Kellen C – Life Scout
- Two almost ready for Tenderfoot
- Rick W helping Daniel P as Eagle coach
 - Recommend Life to Eagle for everyone
 - First step is submit the application
- Mike helping Zach K and Andrew G

MEMBERSHIP – Dave N/Len M

- Pack 688 has 3 Webelos bridging over

- Pack 918 has most scouts going to 855
- Need to provide list of registered adults to Suresh (Mike will do)

OUTDOOR PROGRAM – Brett M

- All dates locked in for next few months
- Details below
- PLC needs to plan 5-day mini-adventure in August (hopefully canoe trip) either first or second weekend
 - TBD on age restriction for this trip
 - Need adult volunteer to do the planning since Chip is not available (Philmont)
 - May recycle itinerary from 2016 trip
 - Everyone must have swimming merit badge

QUARTERMASTER –Aaron K

- Trailer
 - Vandalism – scratched into side
 - Plan to sand it a little then spray paint over it (low priority)
- Jamboree registration – details will go to Chip and Mike

SPL – Fuller C

- Not needed tonight

SCOUTMASTER—Chip B

- Scoutbook dropped some Scouts, Chip investigating why
 - Potentially because they are not in the member roster in my.scouting.org
 - Council may not have processed re-chartering documents yet
 - Mike will investigate roster at my.scouting.org
- Do we need additional assistant scoutmasters, specifically ones who can help with camping?
 - Normally we don't have a problem with adult participation on camping trips, the January campout was an aberration
- Chip has Philmont shakedown hikes in April and May
 - Mike can volunteer as adult leader for April biking trip
 - Lynn may be able to be adult leader for May hike (non-Philmont participation)
 - Need adult leader for Calvert Cliffs Apr 3-6 (maybe Len)
 - Need adult leader for Rafting June 12-14 (maybe Dang)
- OA election
 - Chip pulled eligibility report
 - He will talk to eligible scouts to think about it and understand what it is
 - Worthwhile to have someone from OA come in and talk to them
 - OA gives additional options for high adventure

CALENDAR REVIEW

- No update

WEBMATTERS – Brien

- Nothing to report

OLD BUSINESS

- None

NEW BUSINESS

- Re-chartering

2019-20 TROOP 918 SCHEDULE

December 2019

N. Arundel Aquatic \$10/person
-submitted to get back \$200
-still waiting for money from AACounty

January 2020

1/31-2/2 Nanticoke Lodge (24)
Cooking merit badge overnight
Henson \$245-paid

February 2020

2/28-3/1
Lodge camping Bashore Camp PA
Roundtop Mountain Scout Day 2/29
\$32 for tubing, up to \$85 for max ski package
49 minutes from Roundtop
Cabin \$250/weekend- maximum 40, bunks,
heated

March 2020

Merit badge madness 3/27-29

April 2020

4/3-5 Calvert Cliffs camping/fossils
Site 2 reserved (limit 30)- pavilion

May 2020

5/2-5/3 Backpacking trip (Appalachian trail)
Reserved YG4 at Washington Mtn State Park

5/29-31 Bike trip C and O canal
Reserved YG1 Ft. Frederick State Park
campsite

June 2020

6/12-14 Rafting trip-
Reserved Ohiopyle State Park Youth site 231
Rafting \$90/person

July 2020

7/5-11
Pipsico Scout Reservation-\$290/scout (4/1/20;
\$25 more after); \$140/adult (2 free adults)
Reserved 20 scouts/4 adults
\$500 deposit placed
Individual Reservation 3/2/20

Philmont 7/21-8/4

August 2020

5 day mini-adventure (8/1 or 8/8 weekend)
Recommending Canoe trip on Upper Potomoc
to PLC next month

September 2020

9/11-13
Fishing/beach camping
Assateague YG2 (50)

October 2020

Rifle campout
Campmaster program at Horseshoe, Rodney,
and Henson
Combine with shooting at Gun club in Crofton
to get merit badge?

OHIOPYLE RAFTING

Lower Yough (12 and over)
Ohiopyle Trading Post and River Tours--Fully
Guided \$90/pp Sat (including 10%
discount)

Future

7/27-8/2 (probably travel 7/25)
SeaBase Out Island Adventure

